

COLORED STATE FAIR

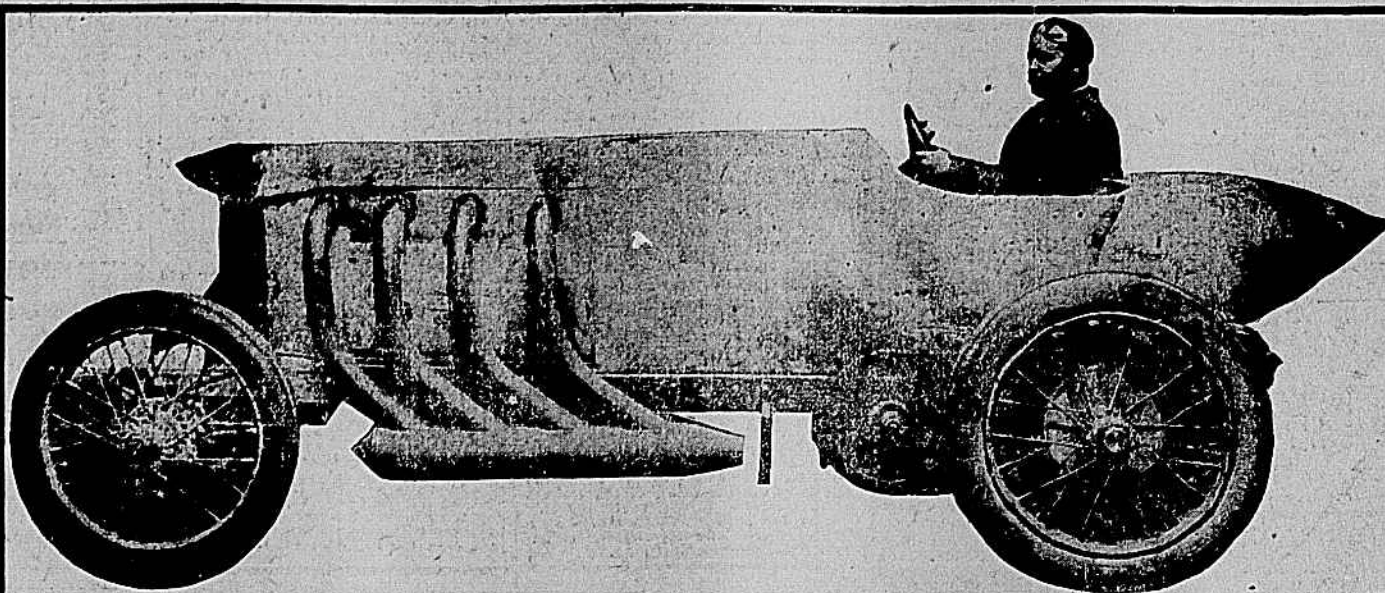
State Fair Grounds--Day and Night
..OCTOBER 24th to 29th..

Another Great Attraction

Two colored men will make balloon ascensions with parachute leap every day at 4:30 P. M.

Fred L. Bradford and Grant C. Watkins come from Chicago, and bring with them the championship of the world as colored balloon aeronauts. They are the only colored men in this country, so far as is known, that can perform this act. They draw great attraction at fairs. They played last week at Lyons, Ind., at the Home-Coming Celebration. They heard of the Colored State Fair in Virginia, and got in touch with its management, so they are here, to the edification of all the colored people, who will fall over one another to see brothers in black ascending to the heavens and shoot out of the cannon, performing parachute from the balloon. It will indeed be a novelty especially in this section of the country, to see colored men flying in the air.

Adults, - 50c



BARNEY OLDFIELD

The Speed King - Thursday, October 27th

First Appearance in Richmond---Fastest Driver in the World

Mr. Oldfield will exhibit his world's championship racing outfit, the three fastest cars in the world, and will race against time in his wonderful 200 H. P. Benz. His record is 27.33 seconds for one mile.

COME AND SEE THIS WONDERFUL SPEED MARVEL

Leo Earl PHENOMENAL High Wire Act



**FREE
 EVERY DAY**

Children, 25c

A Good Program Interesting Features Every Day

Monday

Richmond Day, and opening address by the Governor of Virginia, Hon. William Hodges Mann.
 Horse Races, Balloon Ascensions and a fine display of Fireworks.
 The colored schools of Richmond will be closed all day.

Tuesday

Horse Races, Balloon Ascensions, Bicycle Races and usual fine display of Fireworks.

Wednesday

Football Game between the Union University and the Olympia Social Club teams for the colored championship of Virginia, Horse Races, Balloon Ascensions and fine Fireworks display.

Thursday

White People's Day.
 Barney Oldfield to race against time in his 200 H. P. Benz Racer.
 Horse Races, Balloon Ascensions, Bicycle Races with twelve entries, and special display of Fireworks.

Friday

Horse Races, Free Shows, Balloon Ascensions and fine Fireworks.

Saturday

Horse Races, Free Shows Balloon Ascensions and fine display of Fireworks.

The Fireworks Display

Every night will be something never before seen in Richmond. There will be an unusual amount of high-air display, some pieces bursting and spreading to a diameter of 600 feet. Other features of the fireworks will be Niagara Falls, Halley's Comet, Bomb Shells, Spiral Towers, Japanese Gardens, the Grove of Jeweled Palms, Aladdin's Jeweled Tree, Floating Festoon Rockets, etc.

...Fireworks Display Every Night...

White Folks' Day

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27

Entire Grand Stand Reserved for White People

..Big Special Program..



GILES B. JACKSON,
 200 East Broad Street, Director General.

Industrial Exhibits Agricultural Exhibits At the Fair

This is the first effort of the colored people of Virginia to hold a State Fair to exhibit our Mechanical and Agricultural Products, together with the handiwork of our women, and other industrial developments. We want to show that the thousands of dollars spent by the white people to aid the colored people in educating the negro to the extent of making him a good citizen and more desirous of becoming a producer have not been spent in vain.

The exhibits will include large showings of Mechanical, Art, Agricultural Products, Live Stock, etc.; also many praiseworthy examples of the handiwork of our women.

**We Have Selected Thursday,
 October 27th as a Special
 Day for the White People**

and extend a very hearty invitation to our white friends to visit the Fair on that day. We believe that they will be interested in what we are doing, and we want them to see our various exhibits.

Reduced Railroad Fares

Reduced rates of one fare for round trip have been granted by all the railroads in Virginia and North Carolina. Tickets on sale the 22d to the 29th, inclusive, good to the 31st.

...Fine Horse Races Every Day...